## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

Vincent Doan, :

Petitioner, : Case No. 1:00-CV-727

v. : Judge Beckwith

Harold Carter, Warden, : Magistrate Judge Hogan

Respondent, :

## RESPONDENT CARTER'S UPDATE OF AUTHORITIES

With respect to his Confrontation Clause claim, in his traverse at p. 42, Doan asserts that "Crawford v. Washington, 124 S.Ct. 1354 destroys much of the argument made by Respondent".

Since the Court's recent decision in *Crawford*, numerous federal circuit and district courts have considered and rejected the argument that *Crawford* should be extended so as to have a retroactive effect. For example in *Evans v. Luebbers*, 371 F.3d 438 (8<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2004)(Exhibit A), the Eighth Circuit refused to retroactively apply *Crawford* to a habeas petition as it held:

[T]he *Crawford* Court did not suggest that this doctrine would apply retroactively and the doctrine itself does not appear to fall within either of the two narrow exceptions to *Teague v. Lane*'s non-retroactivity doctrine.

Other courts have similarly declined to apply *Crawford* to habeas cases involving state court decisions rendered well before *Crawford*. *See*, e.g., *Dorchy v. Jones*, 2004 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 9436, \*17-19 (E.D. Mich. May 26, 2004)(Exhibit B) ["at the time of Petitioner's direct appeal, *Roberts* was the controlling law"]; *Johnson v. Renico*, 2004

U.S. Dist. LEXIS 7105, \*11-12. (Exhibit C). ["at the time of Petitioner's conviction and direct appeal *Roberts* was still good law"]; *Murillo v. Frank*, 316 F.Supp.2d 744 (E.D. Wis. 2004) (Exhibit D) [*Crawford* is a new rule that cannot be relied on for relief in ongoing habeas proceedings]; *Lave v. Dretke*, 2004 U.S. Dist. LEXIS 11217, \*6-8 (N.D. Tex. June 17, 2004)(Exhibit E)[*Crawford* is a new rule for *Teague* purposes that does not fall within either exception to the non-retroactivity doctrine].

Additionally in *Horton v. Allen*, 370 F.3d 75, 83 (1<sup>st</sup> Cir. 2004)(Exhibit F), the First Circuit recently emphasized that "*Crawford* draws a distinction between testimonial and nontestimonial hearsay and applies only to the former categories of statements". In so ruling the appellate court emphasized, "In *Crawford*, the Court held that the Confrontation Clause bars the admission of **testimonial** hearsay unless the declarant is unavailable and the accused has had a prior opportunity to cross-examine the declarant". *Id*.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the Respondent Carter's Update of Citations was electronically sent KORT GATTERDAM, Kravitz and Kravitz, 145 East Rich Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215 on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2004.

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